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Attached are the following documents:

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Amendment (11 pages)  
Petition for Extension of Time (1 page)

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**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Todd R. BURKEY  
 Appl. No. : 10/629,415  
 Filed : July 29, 2003  
 Title : METHOD, APPARATUS AND PROGRAM  
 STORAGE DEVICE FOR DYNAMICALLY  
 RESIZING MIRRORED VIRTUAL DISKS IN  
 A RAID STORAGE SYSTEM

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☒ Also attached: Petition for Extension of Time.

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Total Claims	16	16	0	\$50.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	6	6	0	\$200.00	\$0.00
Fee for two month extension of time					\$450.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$450.00

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Respectfully submitted,  
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